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Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) Yes e) No. If Yes, brief description:							
Claim(s) discussed: <u>1,21,64,70 and 81</u> .							
Identification of prior art discussed: Kontos ('539).							
Agreement with respect to the claims f)⊠ was reached.	g)⊡ was not r	eached. h)□ N	I/A.				
reached, or any other comments: Mr. Garrett proposed amending the independent claims to recite the limitation of the the medical device having a body comprising a tapered distal end in order to overcome the rejection under the Kontos reference. The proposed limitation will be fully considered upon filing of a proper response to the Final Office action mailed on 10/30/07.  (A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)  THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN A NON-EXTENDABLE PERIOD OF THE LONGER OF ONE MONTH OR THIRTY DAYS FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.							
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